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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants bring the following documents to the Examiner's attention in the referenced application.

1. U.S. Patent Number 5,980,276 to Arita et al.
2. U.S. Patent Number 5,978,219 to Lin.
3. U.S. Patent Number 5,808,867 to Wang.
4. Japanese Publication No. 08339427 A published on December 24, 1996.

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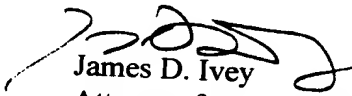
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